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WHITE HOUSE:MR. HORAN

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TO AMEMBASSY PORT LOUIS IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, US,MP

SUBJECT: MAURITIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY

REF: PORT LOUIS 0200

1. PLEASE DELIVER TO GOVERNOR GENERAL ON OR BEFORE

MARCH 12. QUOTE DEAR GOVERNOR GENERAL:

IT IS WITH PLEASURE THAT I EXTEND TO YOU AND TO THE PEOPLE OF MAURITIUS SINCERE GOOD WISHES AND HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS ON THE OCCASION OF YOUR SEVENTH INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION. I AM CONFIDENT THAT THE CLOSE COOPERATION AND FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES WILL CONTINUE TO GROW IN THE YEARS AHEAD.

SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD. UNQUOTE.

2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION

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TO RELEASE BY GOM. INGERSOLL

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## Message Attributes

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